

Dear ParentChild+ sites,

As this year comes to a close, we want to extend our warmest wishes to each and every one of you. We are so grateful for the work you do every day, for your partnership, your innovation, your willingness to share ideas and to give feedback. The ParentChild+ network is amazing, powerful, full of heart, and always ready to support families and communities. May this end of 2023 be a time of rest and replenishment for your hearts and souls, may you be surround by friends, family, and community. Here's to a well-deserved break, recharging our spirits, and embracing the exciting possibilities that the upcoming year holds for each of us and for ParentChild+.

As always, please reach out if you have questions, need information, and/or just want to update us on what you are up to. We want to share your successes, your stories, your moments of joy, so please send stories, quotes, and/or photos to our Development and Communications

Coordinator, Ricardo Abreu. For today's moment of joy, scroll down for some wonderful pictures!

Stay safe and be well!

- The national center team

New Coordinator Training Institute

One-on-One Dates
Feb 6-8th + Feb 13-15th

(Tues- Thurs each week, six full days) 12:00 – 5:00 pm EST each day

HBCC Dates

Feb. 28th / March 6th + March 13th 12:00 - 3:00 PM EST each day

(Click here to officially register new Coordinators for training)

- Introduction to Operations for Startup Sites (but open to other new Coordinators registered for the Coordinator Training Institute)
- 2. Intensive New Coordinator Training Institute (for all new Coordinators)
- 3. HBCC (for new Coordinators implementing this model)

Family Satisfaction Survey Findings

Thank you to all the staff who have helped us collect valuable feedback from families. We would like to share the family satisfaction findings with the network. Please find the direct report here. We will host a webinar to discuss the findings on Jan 11th, 2024. Please enroll here on Elevate if you are interested in participating. We would like to hear from you whether these findings represent what you have experienced working with families and how we can improve our work accordingly. If you have any question, please feel free to contact You Zhou, Associate Director of Research & Learning, vzhou@parentchildplus.org.

Partner Sites Logo Requests

On our Implementation Partner page on our website – there are a lot of partner agency logos missing. Ideally, there should be one for each of our wonderful

implementation partners. We want people to see who our partner agencies are when they visit our site! Please <u>click here to upload the logo</u> that you would like us to feature on our new implementation partner page.

REMINDER

The National Center Annual Conference is staying virtual in 2024! It's happening May 7, 8, and 9, and we need your help!

We will be working with some flexible and fun new features in the Zoom Events conference platform that will provide more opportunities for sites to share ideas and interact with one another. Your input is needed to help make this conference the best ever. Please join us to consult on:

- Themes
- Conference Structure
- Speakers
- Hosting Connection Activities
- Vendors
- Coaching for our speakers

We are looking for both Coordinators and Early Learning Specialists who can commit to approximately 2 meetings a month starting in January until the conference in May, and/or staff who might be interested in facilitating some of the interactive events we have in mind. And, as always, we love it when sitestaff present workshops, are part of a panel discussion, or host a fun activity. Gift cards for Committee participants will be provided.

Interested? Fill out this form. Any questions? Contact Michele and/or Kate at the National Center. We will be in touch!

Stay tuned for news about a special 60th anniversary conference in 2025!

We can't wait to connect with you!

REMINDER!

Staff Portal and Elevate Additions

There have been many resources added to the Staff Portal and Elevate related to the assessment protocol transition. Please check out the content:

- Staff Portal: <u>Updated Data Protocol</u>, <u>PIEL</u>, <u>PICCOLO</u>, <u>ASQ:SE-2</u>, <u>ASQ-3 folders</u>
- Elevate: ASQ:SE-2 Training (4+ hours) Reflection Record session

